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Mr. Gary Gurbin,
Parliamentary Secretary
to the Minister of the Environment,
Canada.

9 June 1986

Dear Sir,

Thank you very much for your call, 9 June 1986.

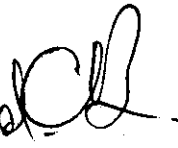
You should know it represents somewhat of a landmark.

We have been trying to convince government of our concerns for about a quarter century. Most federal politicians avoid the issue like the plague, with the result that it's becoming one. The few who've listened usually act in a patronizing, paternalistic manner, with a few exceptions, such as Mr. Paul Dick, Mr. Michel Cote, Mr. Michael Cassidy, and yourself.

Your comment that our situation is much the same as the one faced by epileptics a few years ago is particularly appreciated. It shows you understand the social aspect of our problem precisely, and as human beings, nothing is quite so important to us as that.

Of course, we will enjoy dealing with the problem...

Again, sincere thanks,

original signed 

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